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PROGRAM

ST. ALBERT CIVIC DAY

August 6

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After the parade on Monday, August 6th, all members of the Chamber of Commerce are asked to report to the St. Albert 101st NATIONAL BANK (formerly the A. B. Blair insurance office).



Dick McGee, President of the St. Albert and District Chamber of Commerce is interviewed by Gazette Reporter, Mary Usher as to last minute plans for Monday's Civic Holiday. Mary models one of the straw hats which will be distributed as favours during the day while Dick wears the straw boater and badge to be worn by members of the Chamber of Commerce.

Bike Decoration Contest

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Editorial W.H.

Government Isn't So Simple

In the Edmonton Journal of Monday, July 30th appears an editorial with the above heading, which deals with our recent crisis in town affairs and the best type of government for St. Albert. It condemns the Manager-Council system of local government (as we had in St. Albert for nearly six years) and it blows the trumpet in praise of "the Commissioner-Council" form of Government, which has proven over and over again to be the best form of government in the City of Edmonton. It "provides an ingenious and responsible form of grass-roots democracy" which are the concluding words of the editorial. We have read this editorial over and over again, trying to understand what the editor has meant. We also have talked it over with many qualified citizens, asking what they thought about this editorial, but practically all of them had the same thought as we, that this editorial is a completely mysterious epistle with many contradictory thoughts. The advice in this editorial does not help St. Albert at all, because it makes our special case more complicated than ever. For the very reason that our former Board of Administrators and our current Council are deeply convinced that "government isn't so simple" for the fast-growing community of St. Albert, they used the Manager-Council system to be assured that at least one professional, steeped in municipal administrative practice, would be on hand to ensure the citizens of St. Albert of a smooth running, professionally guided municipal government.

This effective form of management of the Town of St. Albert is not only praised by many of our own citizens, but also throughout Alberta and even in Eastern Canada it has been cited as an example of wise and carefully thought-out management, by the Community Planning Association of Canada, who are meeting in Edmonton in September and plan to include a tour of St. Albert in their itinerary. The praised system of "Commissioner-Council" is, in principle, just the same as the Manager-Council system with only the difference of name and salary. (both systems use highly paid professionals) but in this case Edmonton has three commissioners and St. Albert one "commissioner (manager)". The "so effective" commissioner-council system is the kind of government used by many CITIES but cannot, under the Town and Village Act be applied here. Therefore, we have the same most effective form of administration in the manager-council system. We are thankful for the editorial, in that it mentions the form of government which we have here in St. Albert is to be praised. Each form of municipal government can be condemned if personal conflicts and animosities kill the system. Without such an inadmissible evil, each system will have good results, if mayor and council, manager (or commissioner) will cooperate for the sake of the Town and City and carry out their duties as laid down by law, convinced that "government is not so simple".

We would like to express our regret over the fact that the editorial not only brought us nothing new but failed to solve any of our present difficulties. It only added to our confusion.

System May Be Changed

The last meeting of our council undoubtedly has proven that the Mayor and Councillors are convinced that the Manager-Council system is the most ideal and logical form of municipal government for our town of St. Albert. What is the reason that another type of government (Council-Committee) came under discussion, although different councillors state that they had not the experience, ability and time to make a council-committee system work for St. Albert. Council members may personally supervise the carrying out of Council policy in the smaller municipalities, but this is impossible in a community of any considerable size to the extent that was possible before skilled techniques and scientific knowledge were such important factors in the operation of municipal services. Therefore, why should a change to this form of government ever be brought up and why must our citizens be so unnecessarily upset?

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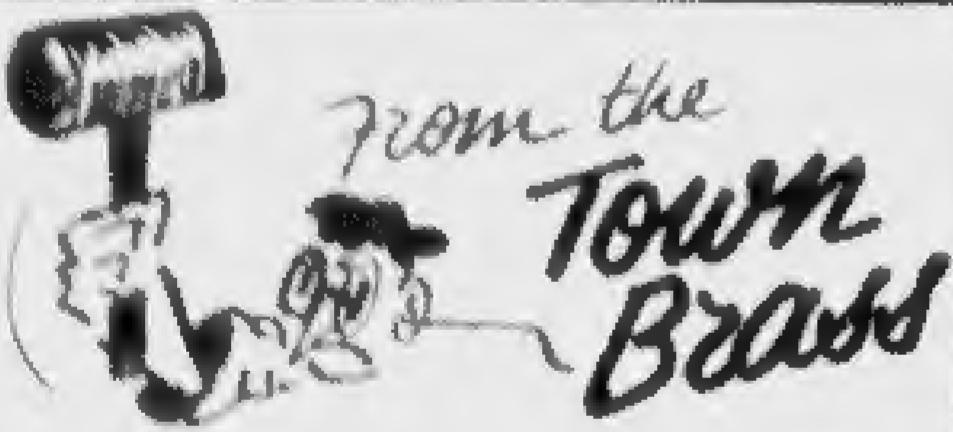
EDITORIAL

In the platform of the Civic Electors' Association, no mention was made of any radical change in our system of administration, and it was not brought up during any election meeting.

Councillor Stewart is to be commended for emphasizing that we should consider these matters without any personal feelings, which we consider to be the only approach in this instance.

DRESS REGULATIONS

We have no intention of discussing the recent court case concerning School Dress Regulations until we are in a position to examine a complete written ruling by Mr. Justice Milvain, who upheld the right of school boards to make such regulations in Supreme Court this week.



When Council met in special session on July 30th, Mr. Veness formally announced the resignation of Mr. Gordon Parkes, the Town Secretary-Manager, which was submitted and subsequently withdrawn at the last meeting but which was re-submitted to the mayor the following morning.

Councillor DeBrujin asked Mr. Parkes if he was willing to continue in office until January 11, 1963, and Mr. Parkes said yes, until a satisfactory replacement is found.

Dr. Skrobot asked him if he thought the Manager-Council system the best for St. Albert and Mr. Parkes replied he still thought that at the moment.

type of government has proved itself efficient for St. Albert. He further stated "it is my wish to leave as soon as possible."

A motion, moved by Mr. DeBrujin "that we accept the resignation of Mr. Parkes with regret and find a suitable replacement as soon as possible." Mayor Venes asked him if he would withdraw the second part of the motion, but Mr. DeBrujin refused and withdrew his whole motion. Mr. Wheatling moved the acceptance of Mr. Parkes resignation. Carried. Mr. DeBrujin moved that we advertise for a replacement for Mr. Parkes in the appropriate professional journals. This motion caused an 1 hour and 45 minutes discussion

when Mr. DeBrujin's motion was put, it was supported by Dr. Stewart, Mr. DeBrujin and Mr. Russell. It was opposed by Dr. Skrobot, Mr. Wheatling and Mr. Rempel and by the mayor's casting vote.

After coffee break the Council showed unanimous (in a straw poll) that they favoured a manager council type of Government. The Mayor himself said "I abhor" the Committee form of Government. Dr. Skrobot asked if any communities in Alberta used the manager Council type of government and was told that "Hinton" "Rowe", "Grande Prairie" and "Lethbridge" are governed in this manner.

Mr. DeBrujin said we should make a study of methods and only change after such a study but in the meantime should work on a replacement. Dr. Stewart referred to a study by the University of Toronto favoring the manager-council system. On being questioned, Mr. Parkes acknowledged that a "failure of communications" was one of the important aspects in this case. He had heard the mayor on a number of occasions ask the Board of Administrators how much time they wanted him to spend in the office. Mr. Veness said that Mr. Parkes did not give the whole story. The Board wanted him to spend more time in the office, but as he said "I have to consider a livelihood". He said the Board had felt the Mayor should be there at all times when they and the Secretary-manager were having major discussions and meetings on main developments and that sort of thing. He asked "Are you willing to pay for this sort of service if you get it?" He further stated at one point that he believed we would end up with government by mayor and committees.

The Mayor suggested that the defeated motion of Mr. DeBrujin be brought before Council at its next meeting.

A motion by Dr. Skrobot ended the discussion by proposing that the matter of whether or not a replacement for Mr. Parkes should be sought, be discussed at a further meeting of Council to be held on Wednesday, August 8th.

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Civic Holiday

CIVIC HOLIDAY IS FOR EVERYONE!

Monday August 6th, St. Albert's 101st Birthday Party should please every member of the family. From the parade in the morning to the big Bonfire at night and a big dance in the Community Hall to wind things up, no one is forgotten.

PARADE FEATURES MANY FLOATS.

So far there are about 35 entries in the big parade which gets under way at the Sir George Simpson School at 10:30 A.M. It will follow Grosvenor Blvd. down to Grandin Road, turn onto McKenney Ave. and then onto Piron Street which it will follow across the river to Mission Park, which will be the scene of many of the activities of the day. The parade will feature decorated floats from local businesses and organizations, antique cars from the Edmonton Antique Car Club, decorated bicycles, bands, marching groups from organizations, comics -- everything you like to see in a parade. En route many favors will be distributed among the on-lookers.

ST. ALBERT 101st NATIONAL BANK

Headquarters for the sixth will be the St. Albert 101st National Bank, located in the A. B. Blair Insurance Office. Members of the Chamber of Commerce will be in attendance to give information and for ticket sales. Tickets will be sold on a \$500.00 Camera outfit being given away by the Chamber of Commerce. A Prize-winning Shetland Pony is also being drawn for, arranged by the St. Albert Branch No. 271 of the Canadian Legion. (We were informed by some one not connected with the sale that this pony is the holder of at least two red ribbons).

MANY DISPLAYS

A corner lot on Mission and Piron, across the Sturgeon, is being prepared for displays which will include the Antique Cars so all you car buffs can take a good look at them, Farm Machinery and the like. More favors will be given away here, too.

SPORTS A MAJOR FEATURE

TUG-O-WAR. The St. Albert Chamber of Commerce has issued a challenge to the Jasper Place Chamber, which we understand has been accepted. Via the grape vine route we hear that the Jasper Pl. boys are coming with blood in their eyes and the intention of dragging the St. Albert team all around town at the end of the rope. They'd better not boast too soon, because we also have heard that Mr. A. B. Blair, one-time member of Championship Tug-O-War teams in Ontario, is coaching the local outfit!

BASEBALL FOR YOUNG AND OLD.

During the afternoon Little League and PeeWee Baseball games will be featured scheduled as follows: 12:00 to 2:00, Little League game with six All Star Players from each of the five House League Teams formed by draw into two 19 member teams. 2:00 to 4:00, The Knights of Columbus Bantam Team will play the Fire Department Bantams. 4:00 to 6:00 Brewster Construction Bantam Team will play the Youville Angels Midgets. 6:00 P.M. the men will take over the sports field with a senior baseball game between the Town employees and the Fire Department. This also shapes up as a challenge affair with both teams uttering threats (or at least loud boasts) about how the other will be whit-washed.

HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT OFFERS CUP.

A Challenge trophy is offered by the St. Albert F.U.A. to the winners of the Horseshoe Tournament which starts in Mission Park at 1:00 P.M.

TWO NEW FEATURES ADDED TO PARADE

Twenty Highland Pipers from the city are planning to take part in the Parade and remain in St. Albert all day, providing entertainment with pipes and Highland Dancing in front of the Community Hall.

The talented riders of the South Edmonton Saddle Club are taking part in the Parade also. Their beautiful horses with finely decorated saddles and bridles will add greatly to the parade. The riders plan to put their mounts through their paces with show and trick riding at the Lions Park during the afternoon.

A PLAQUE TO BE PRESENTED FOR BEST ENTRY

A Plaque is to be presented by the St. Albert and District Chamber of Commerce for the best parade entry. This will be given at 12:00 o'clock noon in front of the Community Hall, at which time Mayor Venes and Mr. Keith Evertitt, MLA will declare proceedings of the day officially open.

ST. ALBERT COMMUNITY LEAGUE DANCE

There will be dancing in the Community Hall at 10:00 P.M. in conjunction with Civic Day. Music by the Combo-ettes. Admission \$1.00. There will be a Free Lunch. At 12:00 o'clock midnight, the raffle draws will be made and distribution of the day's prizes will be made. Everyone is welcome.

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St. Albert DRIVE-IN THEATRE

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MONDAY - 6 - CIVIC DAY - 3 FEATURES

8:45 Special SHE GOD'S OF SHARK REEF

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CIVIC HOLIDAY

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ATTENTION PARADE ENTRANTS:

All those desiring to enter the parade on Monday August 6th should notify the parade marshall, Mr. Ed. Powell, at 599-6561 not later than Saturday, August 4th.

HORSESHOE PLAYERS, TAKE NOTE:

All horseshoe players competing in the F.U.A. tournament please bring your own horseshoes when you report to the Mission Park grounds at 1:00 p.m.

LOTS OF RACES

Did we hear the younger set asking "What about us?". Sure, there's something for



you! Lorne Wood, our Recreational Director, is taking charge of children's races and competitions, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce with lots of prizes and favours. They start about two o'clock in Mission Park. There will be rides operated for them too.

HOW ABOUT EATS?

Lots of food will be available. The Knights of Columbus are operating concession booths all day in Mission Park. The Lions and the Scouts will offer a Barbeque and a Corn Roast respectively from 5:00 o'clock, and there will be afternoon tea served in the Community Hall. Tables and benches are being placed around Mission Park where people can rest tired feet, re-assemble their scattered families and enjoy their hot dogs, barbequed meats and corn.

IT'S LADIES' DAY TOO.

Inside the Community Hall there will be plenty of action too. Entries in the Home baking, handicraft and sewing classes, flower show, will all be displayed. There will be exhibits of children's art and school work. Then there is a Children's Fashion Show where children will model outfits made for them by their mums and grandmas, and there is a Baby Show where the winners will be selected by the votes of those visiting the Hall during the afternoon.

ENTERTAINMENT IN FRONT OF HALL.

During the day there will be entertainment in front of the Hall, too, including selections by Al Brunner's Accordion Band. A big street dance out in front of the Hall will add to the fun.

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Mr. Chat Lunt, owner-manager of St. Albert's newest business, the Village Laundromat, stands in front of his new premises in Grandin Shoppers' Park. The Village, featuring the very latest in coin operated laundry and dry cleaning equipment, will open for business in a few days.

THE VILLAGE LAUNDROMAT TO OPEN SOON

St. Albert residents hope to enjoy by the end of this week the finest coin-operated laundry and dry cleaning facilities in Western Canada. As Mr. C. B. Lunt, the proprietor and manager of The Village Laundromat laughingly told us "St. Albert residents deserve the very best", but in a more serious vein he added that a most careful survey showed that St. Albert presents a splendid opportunity for this type of business.

Modern it certainly is. The equipment includes four Westinghouse Laundromat coin operated dry cleaning machines, each capable of handling an eight pound load which includes up to 11 ladies'

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dresses, or 10 coats or 32 blouses, or six pairs of slacks, or 18 children's dresses, need we go on? Drapes, slip covers, shag rugs, comforters, all can be handled, or any combination of articles, as colors do not run in this process. An attendant will be in attendance at all times who can advise as to materials, buttons, belts, etc. Cost of a load? Just \$2.00. Then there are 10 Westinghouse Laundromats each able to handle a 9 pound wash. Your reporter has used a Laundromat machine for years and can tell you just how efficient these are for all your washing needs. There is a big Extractor which can handle up to four average washer loads and cut drying time by as much as 20 minutes, saving 20¢ by spending 10¢ as it were. Unique in Western Canada is the big Washette, in which up to 25 lbs can be washed at once. This is particularly useful for shag rugs up to 9 x 12, heavy washable drapes and the like.

The surroundings in which these operations are carried out is particularly pleasing. At the front entrance there is an "S" shaped divider wall featuring a planter. Comfortable settees and chairs are there with tables and ash-receivers so that customers can wait for their work to be done in a relaxing social atmosphere. One wall of the lounge is pecan beige and the long east wall is antelope beige, along which are ranged the washers and the big Washette. On the opposite wall the coin operated dry cleaners, the extractor and the big dryers are recessed, in a wall panelled in Starboard. Other paneling is in masonite finished in butternut pattern. The floor is Havana White tiling.

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ST. ALBERT CIVIC DAY

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BONFIRE AND FIREWORKS IN EVENING.

To conclude the outdoor fun, the Town of St. Albert, is providing a fireworks display and the Fire Department will have a big bonfire, around which there will be a monster sing-song, featuring the St. Albert Orioles.

STREETS TO BE DECORATED.

A mile of plastic pennants has been secured, which is being provided, courtesy of the Downtown Business Men, recently organized into a group of their own. They also are planning extensive decoration of their own business premises. Pennants will be stretched on the highway, along St. Anne St., in the business section and in Mission Park. A sign has been erected at the south town limits, and other signs are planned together with banners and bunting. In Grandin Shoppers' Park there will be pennants and decorations and the merchants there are entering a decorated float.

DANCING TILL TWO with buffet lunch, is being provided by the St. Albert Community League to round out a full day with, as we said, something for everyone.

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HOME BAKING CONTEST ON AUGUST SIXTH

Here is still another of the exhibitions and competitions which will make the St. Albert Community Hall a centre of attraction on St. Albert's Civic Holiday, August 6th. This one is the Home Baking Competition, sponsored by the United Church Women of the St. Albert United Church and convened by Mrs. J. Rogers and Mrs. D. Richardson. Details of the competition follow:

Adult Competition

Loaf of bread
Iced Chocolate Cake
Date Loaf
Chiffon Cake (not iced)
Angel Cake (not iced)
Cookies (three different kinds)

Children's Competition

Fudge.

During the afternoon the various women's groups involved in the activities in the Hall will serve Tea.

Bike Decoration Contest

An invitation to all the Youngsters in Town and District to take part in a bike decorating contest to be held during the big parade on August the sixth.

The Gazette offers the following prizes for the 3 best decorated bicycles appearing on parade.

1st PRIZE **15.00**

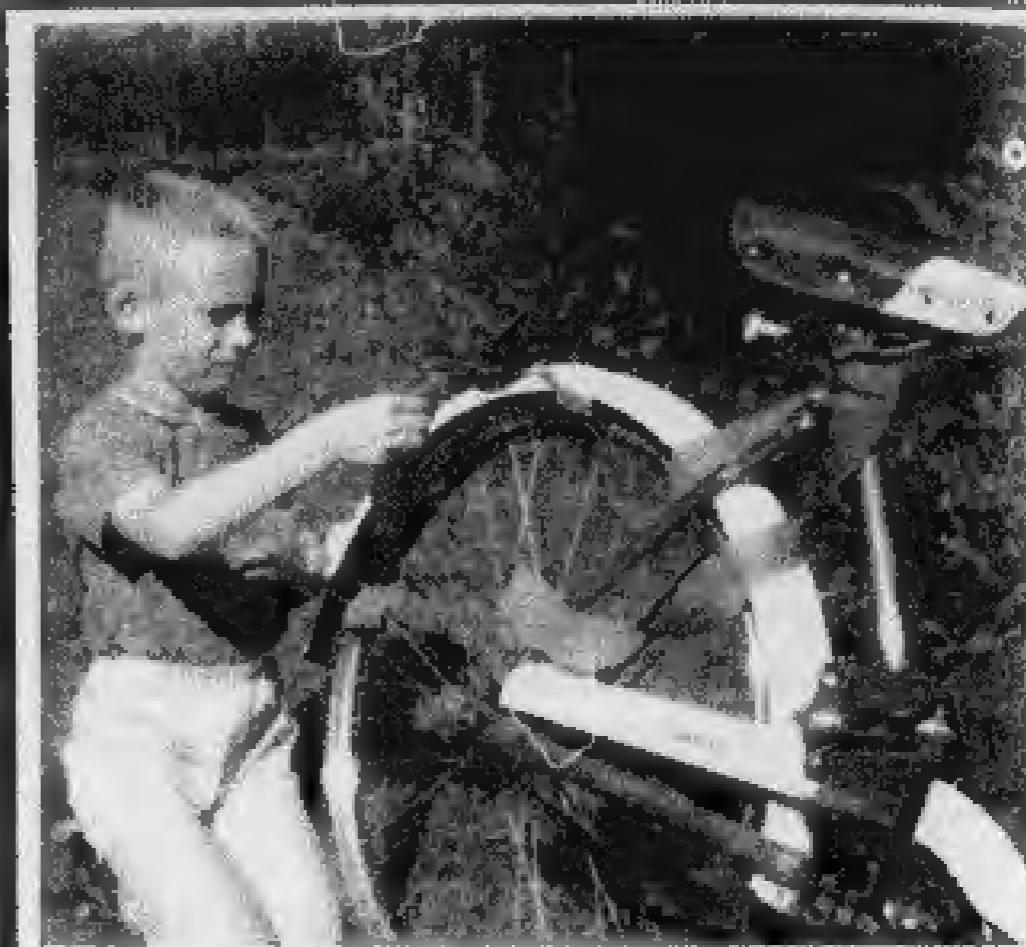
2nd PRIZE **10.00**

3rd PRIZE **5.00**

The contest is open to all St. Albert and District Children (no age limit)
All Entrants are to be at Grandin Shoppers Park at 9 a.m. on August 6th.

JUDGES

WILL BE: Members of the St. Albert Women's Institute and Lady Members of the St. Albert Community League.



Doug gets ready for the Parade

A young entrant readies his bike for the bicycle decorating contest being held by the Gazette in connection with St. Albert's Civic Day, August 6th. There is no age limit for boys and girls entering this contest. All entrants are to be at Grandin Shoppers Park at 9:00 a.m. on August 6th, together with the judges so that entries may be judged prior to appearing in the Parade.

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A By-law of the Town of St. Albert, to provide for the payment to the Mayor and each Councillor attending meetings of the Council, of an allowance for each meeting so attended, and for the payment to the Mayor of monies for the laying out and inspection of works undertaken by the Town.

WHEREAS, it is deemed that the Mayor and each Councillor attending meetings of the Council should be paid an allowance for each meeting so attended;

AND WHEREAS, it is deemed that the Mayor should be paid a sum of monies for each day spent by him laying out and inspecting works undertaken by the Town;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Town of St. Albert, duly assembled this 23rd Day of July, A.D. 1962, by virtue of the authorities granted under Section 60 of the Town and Village Act, being Chapter 338 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1955, and all amendments pertaining thereto, does hereby enact as follows:-

1. That the Mayor and each Councillor attending meetings of the Council be paid an allowance of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars for each meeting so attended, provided that no payment shall be made in respect of more than Thirty-Six (36) meetings in any one year.

2. That the Mayor shall be paid a sum of Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars per day for each day spent in the laying out and inspection of works undertaken by the Town, providing that payment shall not be made in respect of supervision for more than Thirty (30) days in any one year.

Read for a first time this 23rd Day of July, A.D. 1962.

Read for a second time this 23rd Day of July, A.D. 1962.

Read for a third time and finally passed this 23rd Day of July, A.D. 1962.

THIS BY-LAW WILL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT UNLESS WITHIN TWENTY DAYS (20) OF THE DATE OF THE PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE AT LEAST TWENTY (20) PROPRIETARY ELECTORS OBJECT THERETO, AND GIVE NOTICE TO THE SECRETARY-MANAGER, A SIGNED WRITTEN NOTICE OF THEIR OBJECTION TO THIS BY-LAW.

W. J. VENESS

Mayor (Seal)

G. A. PARKES

Secretary Manager

MONDAY, AUG. 6, 1962

ST. ALBERT CIVIC DAY and 101 ANNIVERSARY

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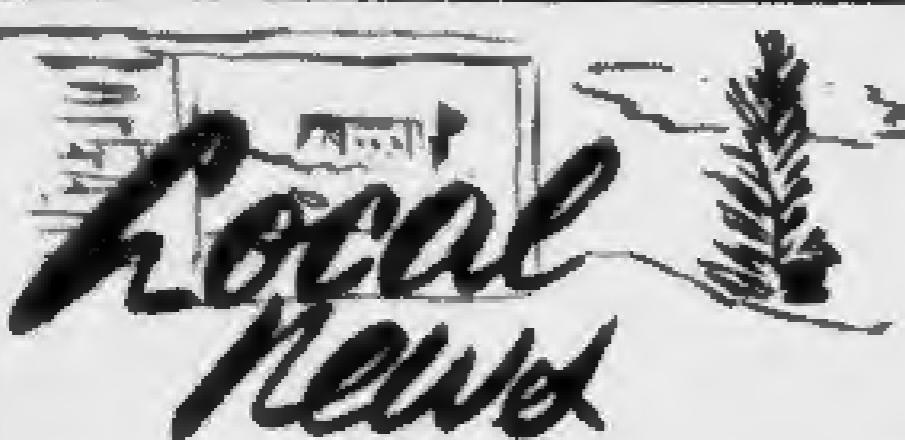
ANNUAL CIVIC HOLIDAY

MONDAY, AUGUST 6th, 1962

The Council of The Town of St. Albert, duly assembled hereby proclaims Monday, the 6th day of August, 1962 to be The Annual Civic Holiday in the Town of St. Albert for the year 1962.

Dated at St. Albert, Alberta this 30th. day of July, 1962.

G. A. Parkes
Secretary Manager

**SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED****TO HAROLD CUTS.****SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED TO HAROLD CUTS.**

A Province of Alberta Scholarship in the amount of \$100.00 was awarded to Harold Cuts of St. Albert on the completion of his second year in Honors Chemistry at the University of Alberta. He achieved an average of 77% in the spring examinations.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon, long time residents of the St. Albert District, receive the congratulations of family, friends and neighbours at a reception in the St. Albert Community Hall honoring them on their Silver Wedding Anniversary.

Foto: St. Albert Studio

DIXON'S HONORED AT SILVER WEDDING

More than one hundred relatives and friends gathered in the St. Albert Community Hall on Saturday the 21st to honor Phyllis and Charles Dixon on their Twenty-fifth Wedding Anniversary. An evening of dancing and entertainment was arranged as a complete surprise to the couple by their daughter, Donna and other members of the family with an assist from the St. Albert Community League on which Mr. Dixon serves as a member of the Board of Directors.

A midnight lunch was served, followed by presentation of a number of gifts. Mr. Wm. Gagnon, a brother-in-law, was Master of Ceremonies. He introduced Mr. Jim Sharp who spoke glowingly of the couple as a neighbour for many years. Mr. Henry Terreault, President of the Community League, congratulated Charles and Phyllis and presented a copper and silver tea service from all the friends present. Mr. Warren Dixon, son of the couple presented a chest of silverware from their children. Mrs. Mary Gagnon presented a dinnerware set from all the immediate relatives.

Among those present was Mrs. Dixon Senior, mother of Charles Dixon. Mrs. Clarence Healey of Edmonton, who was bridesmaid twenty-five years ago, attended Phyllis Dixon. Frank Carter best man at the wedding, unfortunately was unable to be present Saturday due to an urgent out-of-town business trip.

MERCHANTS OF DOWNTOWN**AREA ORGANIZE**

The businessmen of St. Albert's downtown shopping area have formed themselves into an organization. Their aim is first to encourage location of future business establishments in the downtown area; Then, to improve the downtown shopping facilities by way of service and by making the area in general more attractive to the shopper, and last, to promote a better understanding amongst the downtown businessmen and to thus help one another with problems peculiar to each business.

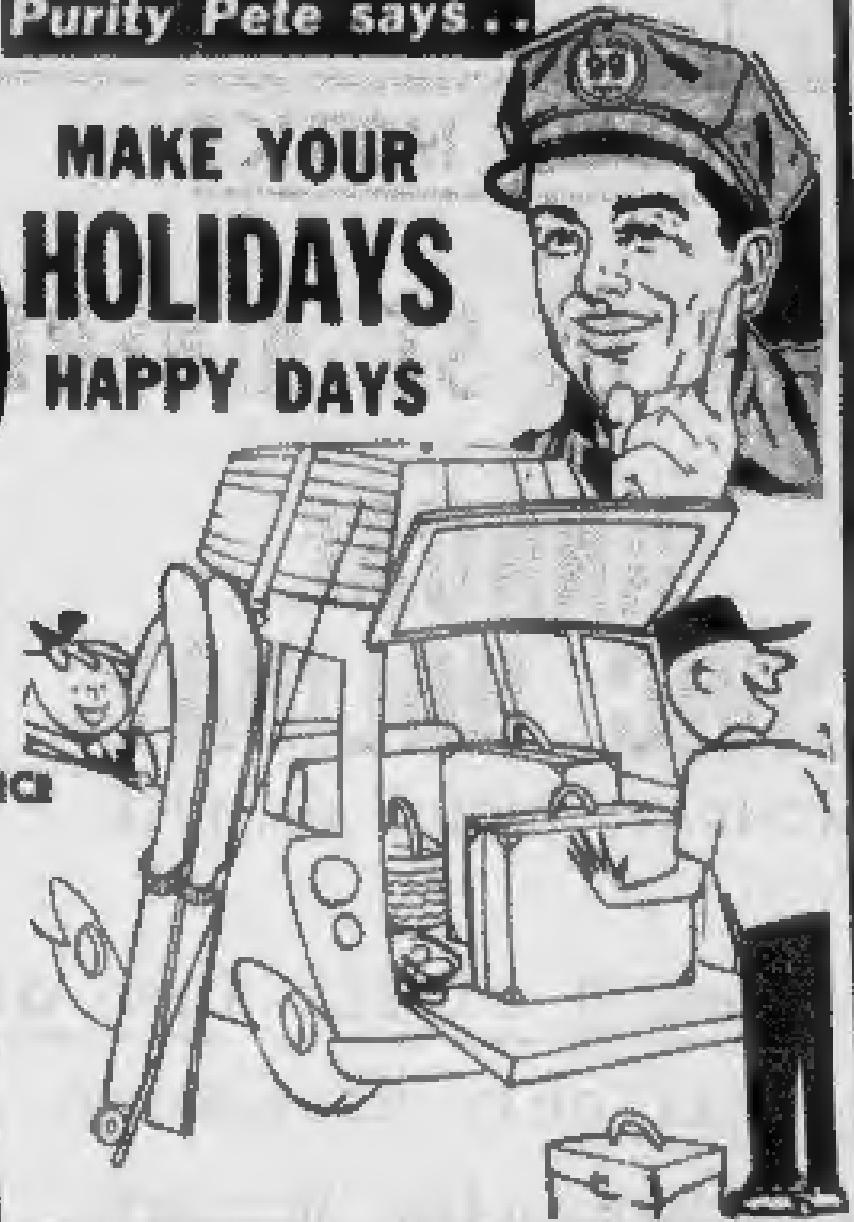
The downtown merchants are cooperating in the decorating of Piron St. from Imperial Lumber to Mission Ave. and St. Anne Street from the highway to Piron. They will also have several booths located in the area on Civic Day, August 6th, at which the citizens of St. Albert may try their luck or test their skill. Also on the agenda for the day is a friendly competition amongst the proprietors for the best dressed (decorated) store in the downtown area. As a reward, a trophy will be awarded annually to the winner.

Elected to the executive of the new group are Maurice Belley, President, Gerry DeWitt, Vice President and Rod McPhatter, Secretary-Treasurer. Directors are Gene Perron, Alex Wallace and John Lavoie.

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by A. P. Brunner

Christened on July 29th were: Maxwell Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mario Vacirca, who was born on June 23rd. His godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Durrant.

Michael Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lancaster, who was born on June 20 and whose godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Marthaller.

BENION. On July 28th Mrs. Marie Louise Benion passed away at the Youville Home at the age of 82. Funeral will be on Tuesday the 31st at 10:00 a.m. with interment in the Holy Cross Cemetery. She leaves two sons, Henri of Edmonton and Leon of France and two daughters, M. M. Lefebvre of Edmonton and Mrs. M. Curial of St. Albert and 28 grandchildren. Residents of St. Albert will remember Benions Meat and Grocery where the Solo store is now. Mr. Henri Benion was the proprietor. The sympathy of the residents is extended to him and to Mrs. Curial in their loss.

VERLINDE. On July 25th, Mrs. Eugenie Verlinde of Edmonton, aged 75 years. She is survived by her husband August, one son Louis of Volmer, two daughters, Miss Urbane of Edmonton and Mrs. A. Franche of Volmer, three grandchildren, two brothers, Louis D'Hoedt of Calahoo and Camiel D'Hoedt of Belgium, also two sisters in Belgium. Funeral services were July 28th at Sacred Heart Church and interment was in the Holy Cross Cemetery.

Only a few short moments ago the Gazette had the pleasure of reporting the Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass and Reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Verlinde. Our sympathy is extended to Mr. Verlinde and his family in their loss at this time.

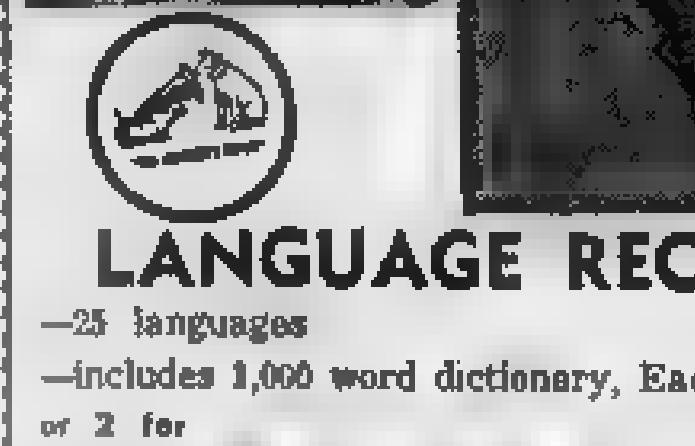
PICNIC: The Annual St. Albert Parish Picnic was held on Sunday, July 29th. It was well attended by the parishioners who spent an enjoyable afternoon on the grounds of the St. Albert Church.

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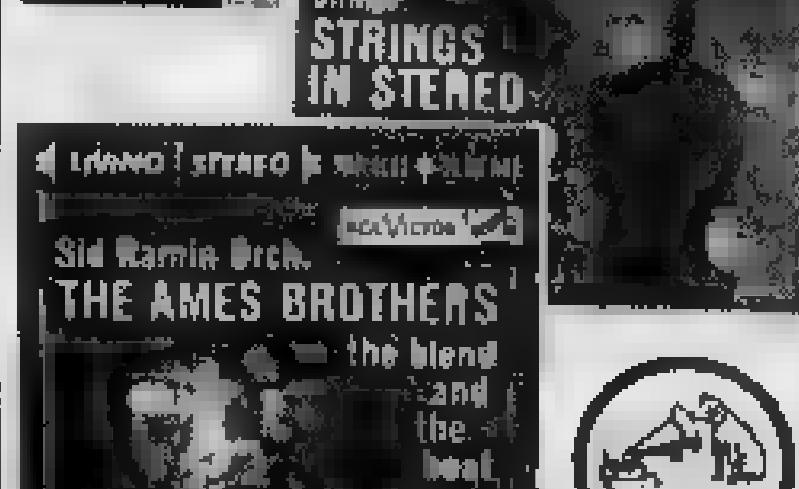
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MR. AND MRS. NEIL ROSS HAVE 25TH ANN.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ross of St. Albert who were married at St. Martin's Church in Vegreville 25 years ago held their Silver Wedding Anniversary this week. The Anniversary Mass was celebrated

in St. Albert by Monsignor Joseph Malone, who performed the Wedding Mass 25 years ago. Soloists were Mrs. Angus MacDonald and Master Michael Ross, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross. Following the Mass a luncheon was held for the immediate family. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Ross entertained at dinner and a reception in The Captain's Cabin. During the evening they were the recipients of a number of gifts including a chest of flatware from the family and friends in the City and a very lovely silver tea service from St. Albert friends. Guests were present from Vegreville, Wetaskiwin, Lacombe and Vancouver. Among the guests was the bridemaid of 25 years ago, Mrs. Marcel Barnier, of Lacombe, Alberta.

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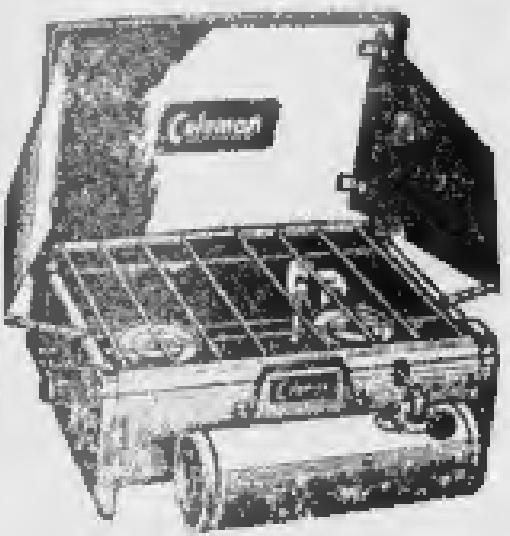
Members of the St. Albert Baptist and St. Albert United Church congregations will continue to worship together during the month of August when Rev. James Joly of the Baptist church will occupy the pulpit. Services will be held in the United church at 9:30 a.m. each Sunday.

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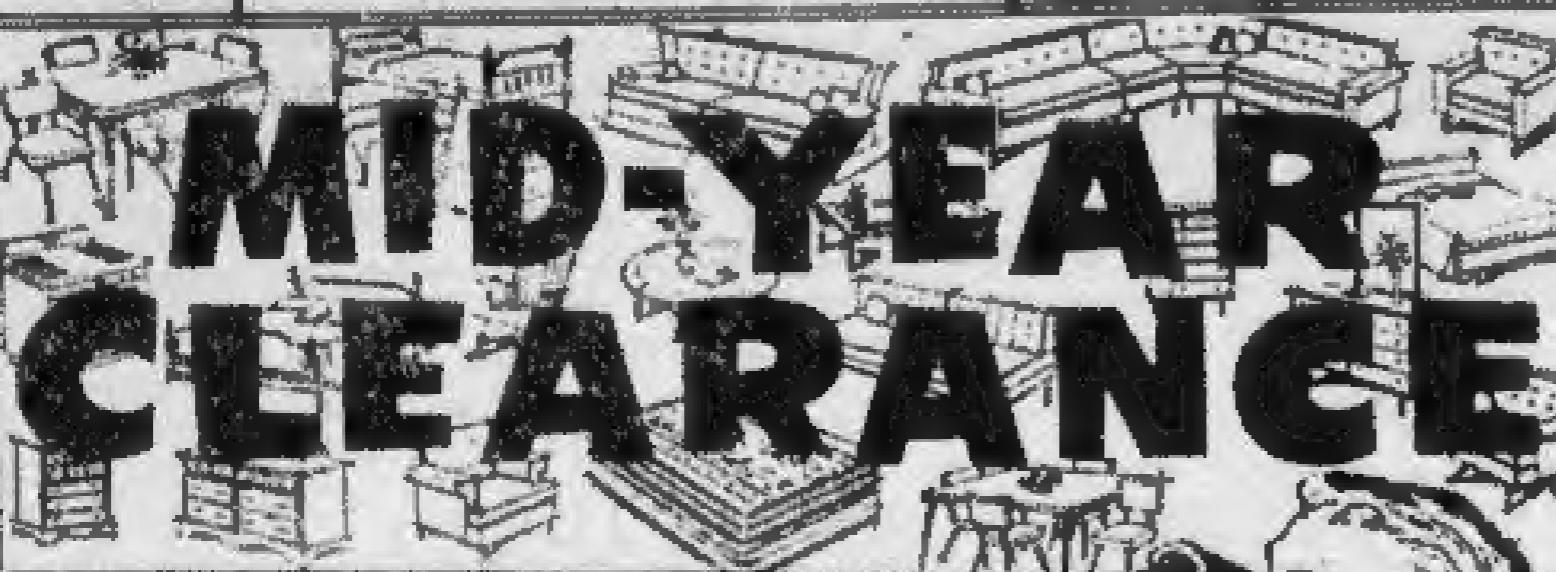
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10:30 a.m.—Giant Parade starting at Grandin Shoppers' Park.

11:00 a.m.—Opening of rides for kiddies.

11:30 a.m.—Band Concert at Mission Park.

12:00 p.m.—Opening Exhibit Displays in St. Albert Community Hall.

1:00 p.m.—Little League baseball games, Mission Park, continuous
till 6:00 p.m.1:00 p.m.—Horse shoe tournament, Mission Park, by the St. Albert
Farmers Association.2:00 p.m.—Kiddies races, organized by the Home and School
Association. North of the St. Albert High School.2:30 p.m.—Tug of War, Mission Park. St. Albert and District
Chamber of Commerce vs. the Morinville Chamber
of Commerce.3:00 p.m.—Lions Club Beef Barbecue. Boy Scouts and Girls Guides
Corn Roast at Mission Park.

6:00 p.m.—Senior Baseball Game. Mission Park.

7-9 p.m.—Street Dance, Square Dance and Old Time in front of
Community Hall.9:00 p.m.—Giant Bonfire by St. Albert Fire Department. Mission
Park.

9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.—Public Dancing, Community Hall. Sponsored by St. Albert Community League.

10:00 p.m.—Fireworks, Mission Park. Sponsored by Town of St.
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Sunday: Worship, Church School, nursery 9:30am. **Monday (2nd.) U.C.W.** general meeting 8:15pm. **Tuesday (4th):** Session & Stewards 7:30pm. **Official Board** 9:15pm. **Friday:** Senior Choir 8:15pm. **Youth activities:** For information call the Church (599-6555), Manse (599-6933), or the C.E. Chairman (599-7428).

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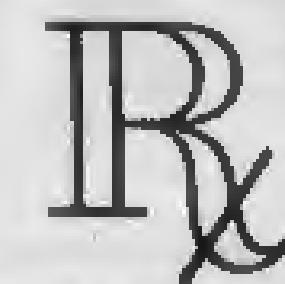
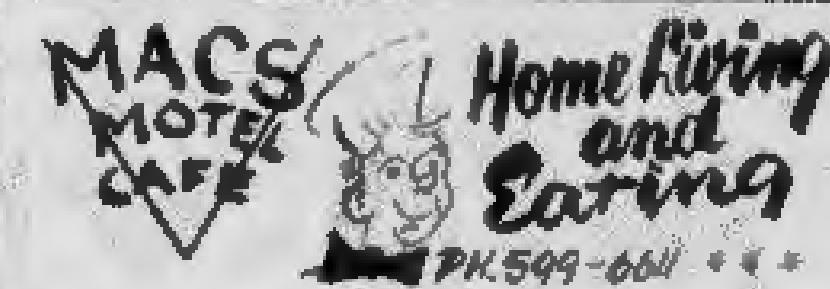
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